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CONNOLLY TALKED HERE

Sinn Fein Leader Spoke Few
Years Ago on Market
Square.

Many people of this city remember James Connolly, who was recently executed in London by the British government for the part he played as commander-in-chief of the rebel army in the Sinn Fein revolt in Dublin. Connolly appeared in Portsmouth about five years ago and addressed a large gathering of people on Market Square. He spoke on socialism and unionism under the auspices of the local Socialist organization. He delivered a most eloquent address on this occasion in which he and his audience were personally interested. At that time he was editor of a paper and talked in all the large cities of the eastern part of this country.

PENETRATE THE FRENCH LINES

But Teutons Are Hurled Back
Without Securing a
Stand.

Berlin, May 5.—The German offensive on the front northwest of Verdun has been repelled with terrific violence. The Germans succeeded in penetrating the French lines at several points at Hill 304, following a bombardment of the utmost violence. The Crown Prince's army was hurled against the French position and at almost every point the Germans were hurled back but at a few places the Teutons were successful in securing a stand.

SPECIALS AT CATER'S MARKET,
37 DANIEL ST., TEL. 120.

House of beef, 16c lb. up.
Corned beef, 10c lb. up.
Green Mountain potatoes, \$1.35 bu.
13 lb. Granulated sugar for \$1.00.
Fancy evaporated peaches, 10c lb.
3 Cans nice peas or corn for 25c.
Our special coffee only 22c lb.
Fresh dandelion greens, 28c pk.
Large navel oranges, 35c doz.
4 lbs. Bermuda onions for 25c.
Grant's No. 1 cukes, 10c.
Remember the place—Cater's Market, 37 Daniel street.

GERMANY'S REPLY NOT CONCILIATORY

In Fact, Teuton Answer to U. S. Note on Submarine Warfare, is Defiant in Tone—Its Policy Defended

(Special to The Herald)
Berlin, May 5.—Germany's reply to the note of the U. S. which was made public today, defends Germany's submarine warfare. Germany does not regard the reply as final. In response the opportunity is asked to make further representations to the United States, particularly in regard to the Sussex.

The note declares that the German government has restricted her submarine activities to her own disadvantage and to the advantage of the Allies, adding: "No such consideration has ever been shown neutrals by Great Britain and her Allies."

The contention of the Imperial German government is that the submarine warfare of this nation has always been conducted with regard to the rules of war. The exception has been in the case of enemy trade, or carried on in the "war zone" waters around the British Isles, the note states. However, no assurances were given to the U. S. in respect to such trade, it was declared by the foreign office.

The United States is charged with responsibility for the dangers confronting citizens of that country traveling upon ships flying the flag of belligerent nations. If the United States had accepted the proposals of Germany, the note says, the greater part of those accidents to citizens of the United States would have been avoided. "The government of Germany still stands by its offer to come to an agreement along these lines," says the foreign office.

It is alleged that the U. S. has made a series of statements to Germany which have for their gist the charge that the German Admiralty has been conducting its underwater warfare

roughly and without regard for the laws of war and humanity. This is denied. It is also charged that representations were made to the German government by the U. S. which were not substantiated by facts. This note opens with mention of the Sussex case and the first sections of it are conciliatory than had been expected. In fact there was a defiant tone about it.

Washington, May 5.—Gravely apprehensive, Washington today awaited President Wilson's interpretation of the German reply to the American submarine ultimatum made public in Berlin this morning. Officialdom was widely divided as to the effect of the note. The text, it was admitted, was open to two interpretations, either that it did or did not meet the views of the President. Those who argued that it did, pointed out that the only part of the rejoinder that showed definite action, set forth that Germany has changed the orders given her submarine commanders so that they now are specifically instructed to obey the requirements of international law in attacking merchantmen and are also to save lives except when vessels resist, or try to escape.

Those taking an opposite view, and they include many of the administration leaders, insisted that the concession is so hinged about by conditions that it does not meet the views of the United States and that President Wilson had no alternative under his own act of April 2-18 but to recall Ambassador Gerard and to give Ambassador von Bismarck his passports. President Wilson and his cabinet had before them today the press dispatches containing the note, but the

present fiction of not considering any text but that officially communicated by Ambassador Gerard as the official one was resorted to in order to evade any expression of any sort that could be construed as indicating the attitude to be taken by the administration.

The German text is on the way by cable in code and it cannot get into the President's hands, state department officials say, much before Saturday. It was asserted at both the White House and state department that there will be no undue haste in reaching the decision on whether the note is satisfactory or not. Many of the senate and house leaders took the view that the German reply was such a sweeping victory for the United States that the President should accept it, even though it did not go as far as he desired, but they admitted that they would be compelled to support the President if he should rule otherwise, and should order a break in diplomatic relations.

The outstanding features of the German reply are as follows:

The German Admiralty has issued a new order to submarine commanders, a copy of which is included in the note, by which no more merchant ships shall be sunk without first being visited and searched and that all persons on board the merchant ships shall be given a chance to escape. Germany declares that unless the United States compels England to cease "violating the rules of international law" a new situation will arise in which the German government must reserve for itself complete liberty of decision. Germany declares that "the United States has discriminated against her in favor of the Allies. The German people have become aroused by the attitude of the United States. The German government is determined not to give up its most effective weapon, the submarine, although a restriction of its use will be allowed. The United States is expected to co-operate with Germany in restoring the freedom of the seas." The German government wishes to prevent a break with the United States. The German government wants to confine fighting to belligerent nations, and not extend the blood shed to countries now at peace. The United States will be held responsible if the German armies are defeated through the "starvation policy" laid down by England in her blockade. Germany intends to continue her submarine warfare and frequent references are made in the note to "the German people," as apart from the German government. The note intimates that responsibility for a break would rest with the United States and the note plainly indicates that a further exchange of representations is desired before certain elements of the submarine controversy are cleared up.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Cloudy today; probably fair Saturday and Sunday.

Sun. Rises..... 4:31
Sun. Sets..... 6:43
Length of Day..... 14:11
High Tide..... 2:01 a.m. 2:23 p.m.
Moon Sets..... 10:31 p.m.
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 7:18 p.m.

HIS BOAT GONE

A boat used as a yacht tender and owned by Clarence Bangs of Devonshire street, Boston, was either stolen or drifted from Rockport Bay on Monday. Should the boat be picked up or located by any of the local fishermen, Mr. Bangs will reward the finder and has notified the local police to that effect.

Read the Want Ads.

YACHTS FOR PATROL DUTY

Wealthy Philadelphians Building Private Vessels That Government May Use in Time of War.

Philadelphia, May 5.—Private yachts so constructed that they can do coast patrol service in time of war are being built in connection with government specifications for a half dozen wealthy Philadelphians who believe in adequate national defense. The vessels will be made for speed, equipped with guns, wireless and a powerful searchlight and have been designed to withstand the shock caused by the firing of the guns which will be mounted on their decks.

Those for whom these boats are being made are Edward T. Stotesbury, John R. Fell, John Price Wetherill, Jr., Samuel H. Collins, Samuel D. Riddle and Anton Ahlers. All of the craft will have been completed by the middle of the summer. They will be enlisted in the government reserve and share in the civilian training cruises arranged by the navy department for the last of August and the beginning of September.

The vessels will be manned by trained seamen from the U. S. navy and will be directly in command of their owners upon whom the rank of ensign will be conferred by the government.

In time of war the yachts will be expected to do work now being done with a real efficiency by approximately 1,000 privately owned vessels in the United States which are patrolling the coast watching for submarines. It is said that the German submarines have found these yachts their greatest menace.

Every one of these boats will have a rapid firing gun mounted on its forward deck and will have separate machine guns aboard.

FIREMEN AT DOVER WANT PAY INCREASED

Permanent firemen of Dover are out after more pay and have presented a petition to the city council for the increase. They claim that the high cost of living causes them to request the advance. They are paid at the present time at the rate of 9 1/2 cents per hour, and they want an increase of 25 cents per day.

DEATH OF OLD TIME SHIP BUILDER

Robert H. Green, Well Known
Citizen of This City, Active
Up to Short Time Ago.

The death of Robert H. Green, one of the last of the old time ship builders of this city, and one of its best known citizens, occurred on Thursday

FOUR MORE IRISH REBELS EXECUTED

Were Tried and Found Guilty By a Field Court Martial—Sentences Carried Out By Firing Squad at Dawn

(Special to The Herald)
Dublin, May 5.—Four more leaders of the Irish rebels were shot this morning. They had been found guilty of treason by a general field court martial. The victims were Joseph Plunkett, Edmund Dwyer, Michael O'Hannahan and William Pearse. Plunkett was one of the seven Sinn

Fein who signed the proclamation declaring Ireland free and independent of England. The other three took an active part in preparing for the uprising and were engaged in the fighting, but were not signers of the proclamation. The death sentences were carried out by a firing squad at dawn.

At his home on South Mill street. He was aged 34 years.

Mr. Green was born in this city, April 25, 1882, the son of Joseph W. and Mary Green. He is survived by two sons, Joseph and Elmer E. Green.

The veteran boat builder has for many years conducted a business of his own at the South End and was active up to a short time before his death.

LICENSEES MEET

The State Licensee Association met at the Tremont House, Nashua, on Thursday evening where a business meeting and banquet took place. Secretary George H. Steele was one of the speakers.

No matter how much hard luck you think you are having you can always find someone with a bigger hard luck story than yours.

ASSAULTED BOYS WITH SHOTGUN

Two Dummer Academy Students Shot by Aged Newbury Man.

Byfield, May 5.—As the result of the boyish prank of two Dummer Academy students, Eugene O. Chase, an aged Newbury citizen was fined \$25 on Thursday by Judge Thomas C. Simpson of the Newburyport court on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. One of the boys is in the Newburyport hospital undergoing an operation for the removal of a gunshot from his back and legs, though the other boy escaped.

Smoke and Water Sale Tuesday

BOOKS-STATIONERY
PERIODICALS-LIBRARY

The Acorn

Now at 18 Market Sq.
In Office of Wood's
Ins. Agency

THE LENDING LIBRARY is now ready to supply the late fiction to acceptable patrons at 2c per day.

NEW BOOKS are being received daily for those who read and own books.

FINE STATIONERY from Chicago, Holyoke and Springfield has been received and will please the particular.

ENGRAVING, cards, letter and note paper, under our new arrangement is even better than before.

NEMO WEEK

NEMO WEEK is a good time to study Nemo Corsets, and learn all about the exclusive patented inventions that have placed them in a class alone, and made "Nemo" a household word in every country where corsets are worn.



This Nemo Week is an exceptionally good time to buy Nemo Corsets, for the reason that, in all probability, the tremendously increased cost of production will compel higher retail prices for most Nemo models. Women who are already obliged to "pay more" for almost everything will understand why this is.

During Nemo Week, however, and until further notice, you can choose from our full stocks at usual prices—

Nemo Self-Reducing Corsets..... \$3.00 up

"Self-Help" Wonderlift Corsets..... \$5.00

Our Nemo experts will gladly assist you in your selection, and show you how to adjust and wear your corsets so as to attain real Nemo style and comfort.

GEORGE B. FRENCH CO.



New Spring Suits

For Women and Misses..... From \$15.00 up

New Spring Coats

For Women, Misses and Children..... We fit all sizes.

New Dress Skirts

Black and white checks and plain colors.
Serges, Poplins and Garbardines.

Another new lot of Neckwear just arrived.....
25c, 35c, 50c, 59c

Kid Gloves, black, tan, grey and white..... \$1.00 to \$1.75
Wash Kid Gloves..... \$1.00 pr.

L. E. STAPLES

MARKET ST.

ASKS MONEY FOR FOREST LANDS

Amendment Calling for Million Dollars Introduced by Senator Gallinger.

Washington, D. C. May 3.—Senator Jacob H. Gallinger of New Hampshire has introduced an amendment to the Agricultural Appropriation bill providing \$1,000,000,000 to continue the purchase of forest land under the Weeks bill of 1911, during the fiscal year of 1917, and \$200,000,000 for the fiscal year 1918.

Mr. Gallinger who is a member of the National Forest Reservation commission that had charge of the carrying out of the Weeks bill, has talked to several members of the senate Agriculture committee regarding his amendment and it is understood it will be adopted by the committee. He introduced a rather similar amendment last session and the senate adopted it but it was stricken out in conference with the house.

The Weeks bill passed on March 1, 1911, set aside \$11,000,000 to be spent for purchasing forest lands in the White Mountains and Appalachian watersheds but before the time of the expiration of the act, which was limited to four years, the commission only spent approximately \$3,000,000. It is now planned to make the other \$8,000,000 available.

Under the provisions of this law, 206,012 acres have been acquired at a cost of \$737,889 to the federal government in New Hampshire and the purchase of 256,467 acres at a cost of \$1,333,657 approved.

The greatest part of these purchases were made in Coos County and smaller areas in Grafton and Carroll counties.

WITH THE SPORTS

(By Frank H. Menke)

Did an ancient poet named Plowde have Zip Millwitz in mind when he penned:

"How rash, how intolerant is rage,
How wretched, how low fatal is our error

When to revenge precipitate we run
Revenge, that still with double force recoils

Back on itself, and in its own revenge,
Will to the short lived momentary joy

Succeeds a train of woes, an age of torment!"

Zip sought revenge upon an umpire some short time ago and promptly was "shooed" from the field. Up to that very moment Zip had clinched the first inning job for the Cincinnati Reds. But now it is different.

The enforced absence of Millwitz brought Hal Chase into the spotlight. It gave the Peerless one a chance to show whether he was still a star. Up to that moment there was some doubt but there is none now. Chase has hit at a remarkable clip and has fielded with the same brilliancy that made him the brightest star in the first inning line some years ago.

And now it seems likely that Millwitz may be sent to the bench permanently and Chase will succeed him as the regular initial guardian for the Reds.

And all because Zip lost his temper and sought to avenge himself by heckling an umpire.

Heinle the Zim's faith in human nature has been destroyed. Perhaps never again will the Cub third sacker attempt to do favors for his foe.

"I did it once and we lost a ball game," muttered Heinle.

This time too, it happened just a week ago in Chicago. The Cubs were playing the Cardinals and the visitors were having their "hus" Smith of the Cards, was on second and Betzel was at bat.

Betzel swung at one of the offerings of the Cub twirler, missed and the bat slipped out of his hands. It bounced its way towards third. Outgoing Heinle ran from third, and picked up the bat then threw it back to Betzel. But in the meantime Smith noticed that third was uncovered, ran to that bag in safety.

When Heinle got back to his station and found that Smith had arrived, he frowned a fur greater than that of Niagara. The rushed the umpire, a la Ted Coy and Willie Weston and implored them to chase back Smith to the second base. But the ump found that no rule governed such a play—and Smith remained on third but he flunged only a moment or two. Then a hit was made and he scored what proved to be the winning run.

The Phillies are having this year that they must, such a la-ha out, as was popularly supposed. Backing opposition far more powerful than that of 1915, they are breezing along at a fast clip and show no signs of cracking.

It is true that the Phils are not an all-star collection. Some of their stars are little more than mediocres. But the genius of Pat Moran has welded the weak and the strong parts perfectly and formed a wonderful machine.

Major League managers are having covetous glances in the general direction of one Mr. Baumgardner, who shortstops for the Columbia college team. This person, familiarly known

as Bunny, has been hitting at a 600 clip so far this spring and he is as fast as chain lightning and as sure as Wagner in the field.

Baumgardner is a freshman, and only 19 years old, yet he ranks as the greatest all-around shortstop the colleges have produced in many years. Several big league scouts have tried to hook him to a conditional contract but Bunny has no intention of signing up as a pro—for the present at least.

What About the Dover Game?

As one of the local bowling fans stated at the late hour last evening the Portsmouth team went to Dover to roll the deciding game. No scores were returned and this fan is of the opinion that as the bowlers returned to the city in a very quiet manner they were probably on the losing end of the game. It is sincerely hoped that this is a bad guess but perhaps some of the members of the team Jones, Jordan, Menzies, or others, can clear up the mystery.

Impure blood runs you down—makes you an easy victim for disease. For pure blood and sound digestion—Burdock Blood Purifiers. At all drug stores. Price, \$1.00.



IMMIGRANT GIRL BECOMES A PICTURE STAR.

Anna Nilsson Proves There's Always Room At the Top.

ANNA NILSSON, co-starred with Mr. Tom Moore in "Who's Guilty?" the fourteen two-reel series of photo-novels which is about to be released by Pathé, was born in Helsingfors, Sweden, just twenty-four years ago. She has been on the stage and in motion pictures in the United States for the last nine years; yet she does not come of theatrical folks. In fact, Miss Nilsson is the first member of her family to go on the stage.

It is largely an accident—though a very lucky accident—that Miss Nilsson is today one of the real screen stars of America. That accident was caused by the triumph of curiosity over caution. Back in Helsingfors to the United States. She kept up a constant correspondence with her young friends and one day was overjoyed to learn that two of them were returning to their home city for a visit. When they got there they fired the imagination of Anna Nilsson with their tales of the land across the sea. When it came time for them to return they took with them the little girl who saw in New York City the place where her youthful ambitions would be justified.

For a time all Miss Nilsson did in New York, as she tells it, was to wander around open-eyed and open-mouthed. Then she learned to keep her eyes open and her mouth shut, as she puts it, and her ears very alert. Quickly she learned the language. And then she met one of the leading fashion photographers of the metropolis, who was convinced that in Anna Nilsson, then but fifteen years old, was a charming subject for the camera. Also, she could, to use the vernacular, "wear clothes." In a brief time Miss Nilsson had become the highest salaried fashion model in New York.

One day she dropped into the studios of a picture company to visit Alice Joyce. While she was sitting in Miss Joyce's dressing room a director entered and, well, then and there Miss Nilsson became booked for a theatrical career. She worked in small parts for a time, parts so small, she says, that if the audience had winked at a certain point in the films they would have missed her entirely. But by degrees she worked herself up and soon was playing ingenue roles and then ingenue leads.

For four and a half years, Miss Nilsson remained with that company, appearing in more than 250 pictures in that time. In the feature presentation of "Shenandoah," Miss Nilsson was starred for the first time; also, her work in that picture established her as one of America's premier screen actresses. Then she went to play the lead in "Regeneration." She was also featured in "The Scarlet Road." Playing then opposite Robert Warwick she appeared in "To Him That Hath," one of the big dramatic roles of her career. The Arrow Company, producing the "Who's Guilty?" series, have now given her the best chance of her career.

Chief among Miss Nilsson's pleasures are swimming and horseback riding. She is a really expert equestrienne, nor does she confine herself to the gentle paths of Central Park. She can—and unhesitatingly will—take her horse over the jumps and rough country in a fashion to make even a professional horseman envious. And her ability as a swimmer and sailor is second only to her horsemanship.

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PREPAREDNESS SPIRIT WRONG

Senator Cummins Says Many Will Be Disappointed if U. S. Doesn't Go to War.

New York, May 1.—Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, one of the leading candidates for the Republican presidential nomination severely criticized the spirit in which America is preparing for war in his address before the World's Court Congress here tonight.

He declared that many "good people" will be disappointed if the U. S. is deprived of the chance, to test its power upon the battlefield.

Senator Cummins said in part: "There is a positive danger confronting the American people of which, it seems to me, many of them are absolutely unaware. I mean the danger of assuming that war is to be the normal condition of mankind and that hereafter international differences will, in the main, be fought out in the old-fashioned, murderous fashion."

"Largely it grows out of the fact that in the midst of this almost universal war we have felt compelled to change our military policy; and the danger is emphasized because the change has been attended by a campaign without precedent in its fury and intolerance."

"We are enlarging the army so that we can fight at a moment's notice and are strengthening the navy so that it can hold its own upon the high seas. The newspapers are filled with denunciations of congress because it does not go either fast enough or far enough in this direction. Tumultuous meetings are being held all over the country and enthusiastic eloquence is insisting that patriotism, Americanism and good citizenship are but synonyms for a big army and a big navy. Romances and fiction have loaned their fascinating influence to the propaganda and the people read every day and see every night vivid pictures of a country overthrown by the ruthless conqueror."

"My complaint is not against adequate military strength for I believe it to be indispensable. My complaint is against the spirit in which the campaign has been conducted."

"The spirit has so disastrously wrought upon the minds of the people is that our national honor can be preserved only through force and that we need a big army and navy, not to meet the last extremity, but we need them because we expect to use them right away; and many good people have reached a state of mind in which they will be actually disappointed if we are deprived of the chance to test our power upon the battlefield."

Look and Feel
Clean, Sweet and
Fresh Every Day

Drink a glass of real hot water
before breakfast to wash
out poisons.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy, when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instantly, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the stomach of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous, stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach, is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast.

While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the impure organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatism, others who have yellow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store which will cost very little, but is sufficient to make any one a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

SERIOUS CHARGE MADE
AGAINST CRAMPS
SHIPBUILDING COMPANY

Washington, May 3.—Conduct contrary to the interests of the country and to every principle of fair dealing and justice is charged against the Cramps Shipbuilding Company of

FATIMA

A Sensible Cigarette



Philadelphia in connection with the strike of 1100 riveters and helpers now in progress, by the committee on industrial relations.

Although they were assured that the strike could be settled if they would meet a committee of their men, General Manager Hand and Manager Mull of the Marine Department refused to meet the committee and summarily rejected the proposed aid, first of the U. S. government mediators, and then of Mayor Smith of Philadelphia.

The company has been delayed by bad weather on contracts now being executed for new ships. Its management welcomed the strike as a means of saving large sums of money by the operation of strike clauses in its contracts.

Manager Mull boasted to an agent of the committee on industrial relations, that because of the existence of these clauses the strike had proved a blessing. He asserted that the longer it continued the better pleased the company would be.

The building of four torpedo boat destroyers for the United States navy is included in the work now under way at the yards.

All delay in the construction of ships can be laid to the strike, and by this means, and by speeding up the men not affected by the walk-out, the company can prevent otherwise serious losses. At least there seems no other reasonable conclusion to be drawn from Mull's boast that the strike is saving the firm "big money."

The company's attitude was given to George P. West of the committee on industrial relations by Manager Mull as follows:

"The men have serious grievances; no one knows it better than I do. We have had blizzards and bad weather, and the men have not been able to work much more than three days a week. The cost of living has gone up and they are being pinched at home."

"But when men go on strike, we're through with them. I'd rather pay the cost of a 15 per cent increase to find out what the other side are up to. And I do find out. I know every move they make. I've organized two unions myself, and the national organizations thought they were bona fide unions."

"This strike is the best thing that could have happened for us. We have a strike clause in every contract and the longer those men stay out the better we'll like it. It gives us a chance to clean up the yard, and it saves us a lot of money."

The committee's representative had gone to Hull to tell him that the strike would be settled if he could meet the men's committee. His reply is contained in the foregoing. The committee had not intended to make public the substance of this interview but decided to do so when Mr. Mull stated that he would "sit up 24 hours to let every employer in the country know of the meeting" between himself and the committee's representative. Mull alleged that he had not understood the purpose of the visit although this had been made perfectly plain to the clerk who arranged the interview. Mull himself, boasted during the interview that he had a complete check on the movements of all the outsiders and told the committee's agent of his movements in Philadelphia.

Subsequent to this interview mediators Dr. G. E. Davis and William Blackman of the United States government called at the Cramp office and asked for Mr. Hand, general manager. He sent word that if they wanted to talk about the strike situation he would not see them. He repeated this refusal and ignored a letter from the government.

After the government mediators had failed in their effort to obtain an audience, Mayor Smith of Philadelphia offered his aid to the company in bringing about a settlement. The mayor's offer was promptly turned down.

After the President's final note to Germany created a situation where delay in construction work could not be tolerated, Hand sent for the committee of the men, but after considering their list of grievances for two days, he notified them that their demands would not be granted and broke off negotiations.

Do Dollars Count?

If so it will pay you to look over our great aggregation of

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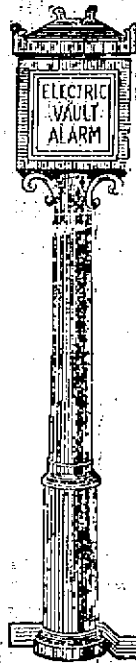
positively the largest ever shown in this city

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Cor. Deer and Vaughan Streets

Near B. & M. Depot



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COUNCIL AGAIN TURNS DOWN BARRETT FOR PUBLIC WORKS

James W. Barrett Was Nominated for the Second Time by the Mayor and Roll-Call Refused Confirmation on Strict Party Lines

Party lines were again strictly drawn at the meeting of the City Council on Thursday when the nomination of James W. Barrett for the vacancy on the Board of Public Works, caused by the death of the late Mr. John Newick, was turned down by a vote of five to two. Councilmen Raynes and Sullivan voting in favor of the confirmation; Councilmen Borthwick, Matthews, Hett, Paterson and Wood in the negative. Councilman Berry and Smart were absent. It was also apparent that at least one of the members of the council still favors the re-appointment of former inspector of poles and wires Ballard to the position now filled by Nicholas J. Groux; that of Superintendent of the Fire Alarm system, by the remarks made by Councilman Sullivan when the subject of the working condition of the alarm was brought before the council. The printing of the annual city reports was held up as the resolution passed by the council is not legal, and the reports, which are now in the possession of the City Auditor, will remain there until some subsequent meeting passes a resolution calling for the bids as required by the public statutes, and the city ordinance for work which call for the expenditure of more than \$50.00. The resolution passed by the meeting, moved by Councilman Wood, gave the committee on printing power to have the reports published. As nobody has the authority to spend money but the council the resolution is void.

The only other important action of the council was the passing of a resolution declaring that the city should fight the suit brought by Russell McCue for alleged damages to his property on Newton Avenue, claimed to have been caused by the changing of the grade of the street. The meeting was called to order at 8.00 o'clock with Councilmen Borthwick, Matthews, Raynes, Hett, Paterson, Sullivan and Wood present. The minutes of the meeting of April 26 were read and approved. A communication to the council from the mayor called the attention of the council to the condition of the fire alarm system and stated that the committee on the fire department had been over the system with Superintendent Groux and were satisfied that he had done all possible to bring the system up to a point where it would work satisfactorily. At his request the mayor suggested to the council that the system, especially the whistle on the plant of the Rockingham Light and Power Company, be inspected by an expert on the apparatus.

The mayor also asked that the Council give what authority was necessary in requiring all departments to secure requisitions from the auditor for all expenditures. The petition of George Snodgrass for permission to erect an advertising pole in front of his barber shop on Congress street, similar to those used by other barbers in the city, was also mentioned in the communication. The last item in the document was the nomination for the vacancy on the Board of Public Works of James W. Barrett. This nomination failed of confirmation was made by Councilman Sullivan and was seconded by Councilman Raynes.

A petition by Charles W. Stewart to occupy part of Water street in front of number 16, for the purpose of tearing down a building, was granted; the

which was passed, authorizing the mayor to draw his warrant for \$100.00 for witness fees and other necessary expenses in the suit of Russell McCue against the city.

The report of the auditor that the annual reports for the city were ready for publication, was received and placed on file. On motion of Councilman Wood the printing of the reports was referred to the committee on printing with power. This was declared illegal and so further action was taken with the exception of the motion of Councilman Raynes to refer the matter to the City Solicitor to report at the next meeting.

On motion of Councilman Sullivan, the City Solicitor was requested to look up the title of ownership of a way known as Frenchman's Lane to ascertain if it was a public or private way.

On motion of Councilman Hett the meeting adjourned at the call of the mayor.

ANNUAL BANQUET HELD LAST NIGHT AT STATE COLLEGE

AGRICULTURAL CLUB MET AT FIRST DINNER AND INTERESTING DEBATE ON MAY QUESTION IS HELD.

New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., May 4.—The first annual banquet of the agricultural club was held this evening in the college gymnasium with more than 175 members of the college faculty and undergraduates present. W. E. Chamberlain of So. Natick, Mass. president of the club presided, and introduced as toast master, Professor F. W. Taylor. Other speakers were Major Frank Knox, publisher of the Manchester Union and J. Franklin Babb of Haverhill. Music was furnished by the college quartette and by a seven-piece college orchestra.

The hall was attractively decorated in blue and white—the college colors, and the dinner was made occasion of announcing the final results in the series of debates which have been conducted by the club this spring. In the final debate held several days ago, the judges J. C. Kendall, director of the state experiment station, Professor Guy C. Smith, and Professor C. F. Jackson decided unanimously in favor of the team representing the negative on the question: Resolved: that clover is more profitable than timothy for the average New Hampshire farmer. This negative team included W. H. Thomas of Franconia, W. P. Knox of Madbury and E. W. Hardy of Contoosick. The defeated team included Arthur Morgan of Durham, Maurice H. Hanson of Lebanon, and Stephen W. Dyer of Lawrence, Mass. The debaters all through the series were scored as individuals and the three high ranking individuals were presented last night with medals by Professor Taylor on behalf of the club. E. W. Hardy won first place and a gold medal, W. P. Knox took second place and was given a silver medal, and Stephen W. Dyer took third with a bronze medal.

The names of these men will be engraved on the life silver cup given the club by the Alpha Aeta fraternity.

A petition from Charles H. Stewart for permission to continue his plans for filling in land on the water front near Mechanics, Marcy and Water streets, was referred to the City Solicitor on motion offered by Councilman Hett, the solicitor to report at the next meeting.

A petition from Charles W. Andrews, Sealer of Weights and Measures, for an additional \$15.00 to his appropriation, was received. Mr. Andrews was granted permission to address that council and stated that he had always been given \$50.00 a year for this work and that his appropriation this year had been cut to \$35.00. He claimed that the \$25.00 allowed for team hire would compel him to crowd his work into twelve days, which was insufficient time. On motion of Councilman Raynes \$15.00 was transferred from the contingent fund to the department for weights and measures.

Bills to the amount of \$419.75, approved by the auditor, were ordered paid on motion of Councilman Hett. Councilman Hett offered a motion

UNITED STATES WOOD PULP AND PAPER PRODUCTS

RETURNS FROM OVER SEVEN HUNDRED ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN INDUSTRY SUMMARIZED.

Washington, May 4.—A preliminary statement of the general results of the 1914 census of manufacturers for the production of paper and wood pulp has been issued by the bureau of the census. The summary compares the United States totals for 1909 and 1914. Returns were received from 727 establishments engaged in the industry in 1914. At the 1909 census reports were received from 792 establishments. Of the total number in 1914, 503 establishments manufactured paper only, 63 wood pulp only, and 161 both paper and wood pulp.

The production of wood pulp in 1914 amounted to 2,894,650 tons, as compared with 2,498,935 tons in 1909, the increase being 15.8 per cent. In addition to the domestic production there were used 534,395 tons of imported pulp in 1914 and 301,392 tons in 1909, the increase for this item being 77.3 per cent. Other materials used in 1914 comprised 271,346 tons of rags, 1,657,846 tons of waste paper, 121,230 tons of rope, jute bagging, threads, etc., and 209,345 tons of straw. The corresponding items for 1909 were 375,260 tons of rags, 1,010,534 tons of waste paper, 121,530 tons of rope, jute bagging, threads, etc., and 394,543 tons of straw.

The total value of the paper produced in 1914 was \$294,355,875, as compared with \$235,242,437 in 1909, the increase being 25.1 per cent.

The production of newspaper in 1914 amounted to 1,313,284 tons, valued at \$52,942,773, as compared with 1,178,551 tons, valued at \$46,555,500, in 1909, the increase in quantity being 11.7 per cent, and in value 13 per cent. There were manufactured in the latter year 531,070 tons of book paper, valued at \$73,499,511 and in the earlier, 494,905 tons, valued at \$51,798,840, the increase in quantity being 3.5 per cent, and in value, 31.1 per cent.

The production of fine paper amounted to 247,725 tons; valued at \$34,051,018 in 1914 and to 198,212 tons, valued at \$29,076,638, in 1909, the increase in quantity being 25 per cent and in value, 17.1 per cent.

The production of wrapping paper was 581,729 tons, valued at \$19,372,753 in 1914, and 766,760 tons, valued at \$42,455,427, in 1909, the increase being 15 per cent in quantity and 16.3 per cent in value.

The output of woodpulp board, news board, bladders board, and all other boards in 1914 aggregated 1,285,627 tons, valued at \$41,870,917, as compared with 851,285 tons, valued at \$25,563,630 in 1909, the increase in quantity being 50.9 per cent, and in value 55.9 per cent.

The production of all other kinds of paper amounted to 700,619 tons, valued at \$12,614,969, in 1914, and 585,915 tons, valued at \$35,191,342, in 1909, the increase being 19 per cent in quantity and 21.1 per cent in value.

Of the 727 establishments reported in 1914, 152 were located in New York, 38 in Massachusetts, 50 in Wisconsin, 64 in Pennsylvania, 48 in Ohio, 41 in Connecticut, 39 in Michigan, 38 in Maine, 34 in New Jersey, 31 in New Hampshire, 24 in Indiana, 23 in Vermont, 22 in Illinois, 13 in Maryland, 8 each in Minnesota, Virginia and West Virginia, 7 in Delaware, 5 each in California and Oregon, 3 each in Iowa, Kansas, North Carolina, and Washington, 2 in Texas and 1 each in the District of Columbia, Georgia, Mississippi, Rhode Island and South Carolina.

DAUGHTERS WED. TEUTONS, SO RUSSIANS EXPEL NOBLE.

Stockholm, May 4.—Baron Poetzmann, a large landowner from the district of Rigra, has arrived here penniless. The aged nobleman has been driven from Russia, although he formerly was an officer of the army of the czar. The reason for his expulsion and the confiscation of his estates is the fact that two of his daughters are married to German and Austrian officers.



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PROGRAM IS COMPLETED FOR THE COMMUNITY CONFERENCE

The first community conference to be held under the auspices of the New Hampshire State College will open at Durham on Tuesday, May 23, continuing for three days, and a varied and interesting program has been arranged.

The purpose of the conference is to offer men and women interested in the social problems of community life in this state an opportunity to consider and discuss common problems and opportunities. The interests of the rural and small community have been given special emphasis. The New Hampshire State College realizes its social responsibilities to the state and this conference is an expression of its desire to serve New Hampshire. It is the aim of the conference to give assistance and inspiration by a program representing various social activities, to all men and women interested in social and community welfare.

Every person interested in community welfare is most cordially invited to be present and to take part in the round table discussions which follow several of the addresses.

Accommodations for about seventy-five guests will be provided in the college dormitories and fraternity houses at Durham at the rate of fifty cents per night. The city of Dover, six miles away, will furnish hotel accommodations for those who prefer them. There is both train and "jitney" service between the two places.

Every guest is requested to register and secure a badge upon arrival in Durham. An office for registration and assignment of rooms will be open on the first floor of DeMerritt Hall.

In view of the fact that accommodations in Durham are limited, all those who expect to remain over night are earnestly requested to notify Dean F. W. Taylor, Durham, N. H.

Program

May 23, 1916

Morning—Dean F. W. Taylor, presiding.

9.00 o'clock, Dean C. H. Pettie, Greating from New Hampshire State College.

9.30 o'clock, Prof. G. C. Smith, Department of Economics, New Hampshire State College, "The Farmer and His Market."

10.00 o'clock, Rev. D. C. Babcock, M. E. Church, Somersworth, "The Share of the Church in Community Betterment."

10.40 o'clock, Miss Cassie Swanson, Franklin Square House, Boston, "The Country Girl Problem in the City."

11.20 o'clock, Round Table Discussion.

Afternoon—Dean C. E. Hewitt, presiding.

2.00 o'clock, Prof. C. L. Shamers, Department of Education, New Hampshire State College, "School and Community Problems."

2.40 o'clock, Secretary Fred B. Freeman, County Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "Unifying the Forces of the Community."

3.20 o'clock, Rev. Harold Davidson, Congregational Church, Lisbon, "The Parish House as a Means of Community Uplift."

4.00 o'clock, Round Table Discussion.

Evening—Dean C. H. Pettie, presiding.

8.00 o'clock, Secretary U. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

May 24, 1916

Morning—Dean F. W. Taylor, presiding.

9.00 o'clock, Secretary C. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

9.30 o'clock, Secretary C. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

10.00 o'clock, Secretary C. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

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11.20 o'clock, Secretary C. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

12.00 o'clock, Secretary C. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

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4.20 o'clock, Secretary C. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

5.00 o'clock, Secretary C. C. Robinson, Boys' Work Department, International Committee, Y. M. C. A., "The Boy as a Community Resource."

collected by a lawyer and are said to have been divided among the members of the recruiting commission. Ten of the arrested twelve members of the commission are army officers.

The war department has extended the investigation to other districts and sensational disclosures of wholesale corruption are expected.

FEAR BILLION RESERVE MAY HURT BANKING.

Washington, May 5.—National banks today contain more idle money than at any previous time in the history of the nation. Excess cash reserves amounting to more than a billion dollars are stored in the vaults of the national banks.

As a result of the situation, the Federal Reserve Board is advising bankers to exercise great caution to prevent inflation. The board recognizes the temptation to lend money on questionable security in order to put the money into circulation. It is feared that this will result in serious inflation. The board is making an effort to have bankers refuse loans except on excellent security.

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Value of Shade Trees.

There is much to indicate that the value of shade and ornamental trees is becoming better understood than formerly. Not that there ever was a time when these were not appreciated and admired, but of late years more attention is being given to the subject and there is more united effort to beautify towns and cities in one of the simplest and most inexpensive ways in the world. This is done by planting the right kind of trees where there are places for them—on private premises, in the streets of villages and cities and along the country roads. Just now Albany, N. Y., is preparing for a forward step along this line. The Chamber of Commerce is interesting itself in the project and the citizens are waking up to the fact that much can be done toward improving the city as a place of residence by the judicious planting of shade trees. And Albany is not alone in this awakening. Other cities and towns in all parts of the country are opening their eyes to the beauties as well as the benefits of well shaded streets, and are governing themselves accordingly. In one eastern state there is a project to foot to set shade trees where they are needed along some 200 miles of country roads, and there is evidence of a general awakening in many quarters to the importance of this method. In some places there is a disposition to regard the matter largely as a business proposition, but this feeling should not be allowed to take too strong a hold upon any community. It is true that beautiful trees enhance the value of property, but there are some things that should be above the dollar, and love of the beautiful is one of them. Individuals and communities can well afford to beautify their premises and their streets by planting and caring for shade trees and shrubbery for the sake of the beautiful, and to look upon any increase in property values resulting therefrom as an acceptable incidental.

It is well that the people are paying more attention to the importance and value of shade trees. A well shaded dooryard or street is far more attractive than one without the presence of trees, and when the smallness of the cost of planting trees is considered there is absolutely no excuse for their absence from places where they are needed.

The planting of trees should not be confined to Arbor Day, though that may well be observed in the manner prescribed. All through the season for this work there should be general activity, which is sure to be followed by large and substantial benefits.

The young women students of the University of Minnesota were recently asked how large a salary a man must have before they would consent to marry him. The answers ranged from \$800 to \$10,000 a year, the average being about \$1,600. One sensible girl said salary was no object and that a true, loving husband and a cottage would be good enough for her. And it is possible that many of the others before marrying may reach the same conclusion.

How dangers multiply. A missionary returned from China says that country is waking up and that unless it is Christianized it will in time attempt to dominate the world and there will ensue a war in comparison with which the present European conflict is but a preliminary skirmish. But will Christianization avert this awful calamity? The lesson of the present war would hardly indicate it.

The government troops are now up against something besides Villa and his bandits in Mexico. The I. W. W. are there trying to stir up trouble among the natives generally, and the capacity of this organization to make trouble is well understood. If any of them are caught they should be shown as little mercy as the bandit chief and his followers.

The country should breathe easier. The Women's League for Self-Defense has been organized in New York to equip women for the burdens of war. The members will be drilled as field nurses and to take the places of men in the industries. "We are living, we are moving in a grand awful line."

J. P. Morgan and others are quoted as declaring that the end of the European war is in sight. This may depend somewhat on the length of the mental vision. The great majority are as yet unable to see the beginning of the end.

The presence of 1,500 actors in the British army would indicate that the war business is better than the show business in the Old World just now.

The Denver housemaids have organized and are demanding \$12 a week, with "privileges." But then, Denver is a very allitidious city.

STATE SCHOOL BOARDS MET

Supt. Pringle Attends Interesting Session Held at Concord.

Concord, May 5.—Dr. H. H. Brooks of Claremont told the members of the school boards of New Hampshire on Thursday afternoon that a study of the list of pupils who had failed in their studies in one of the Claremont schools showed everyone of the backward pupils as having some physical disability. The doctor used this as a point in his argument for having competent medical inspection.

The other speakers at the opening session of the conference in Representatives' hall, state house, were Mrs. Fannie L. Clark of Amherst and Dr. Irving A. Watson, secretary of the state board of health.

Dr. Watson spoke on schoolhouse sanitation and Mrs. Clark told of the development of the Amherst schools as a typical rural school system.

Superintendent James H. Van Sickle of the Springfield, Mass., schools was the speaker on Thursday evening. His subject was "Problems in Administration in Cities and Large Towns." State Superintendent Henry C. Morrison presided at both sessions. The attendance was disappointing particularly that of the city school board members, as the program had been arranged with particular reference to the city and large town problems.

Among those present were the following: J. A. Snelcher, New Hampton; Albert S. Killebrew, Enfield; Anna B. Parker, New Hampton; J. S. Gilman, Lisbon; Superintendent E. W. Jackson, Whitefield; George W. Springer, Penacook; Superintendent O. H. Tenthakker, Newport; Mrs. Emily B. H. Martin, Pembroke; Mrs. John N. Tush, New Durham; Cora P. Morse, Winchester; Marjorie C. B. Barker, Portsmouth; W. Earl Jones, Winchester; Susan T. Ellsworth, Peterborough; Clarence H. LaRue, No. Hampton; Stephen H. Huse, Jr., Sutton; Mrs. Deborah M. Brown, Haverhill; Frank Cavarese, Kingston; Muttie J. Corey, Middle Spaulding and Nathan Plummer, Chesterfield; Albert B. Eaton and John T. Smith, Anson; Elmer D. C. Smith, Center Harbor; Martha P. Woodward, Mrs. S. Kate Swinington and Mrs. L. P. Fletcher, Lyndeborough; C. D. Philbrick, West Springfield; Harrison H. Noyes and Jean D. Walker, Dorchester; Cynthia A. Kilder, Bethel; Fannie L. Clark, Amherst; T. S. Kelsey, Lisbon; Mildred H. Webster, Holderness; Alice B. Sanborn, Chichester; Mrs. S. G. Matthews, Woodstock; Mabel M. Jones, New Ipswich; Ada J. Flannery, Whitefield; Edward C. Niles, Concord; Superintendent M. L. Brooks and Edward Green, Exeter; Harry S. Howell, Suncook; James L. Pringle, Portsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. George A. Keith, Ellen Webster and H. W. Burleigh, Franklin; Mrs. Osma C. Morrill, Mrs. Fannie J. Minot, Dr. D. B. Sullivan and Dr. Charles Duncan, Concord.

SPECIAL INTERESTS HAVE SOUGHT TO CONTROL CONGRESS

Washington, D. C., May 5.—Privilege and special interests have tried to get up complete control and ownership over this present congress of the U. S. And they have come pretty near doing it. They will do it in the next few weeks if the people, the workers, and farmers especially don't realize quickly that while they, the people, are having their minds taken up by war talk and preparations for war, vasty valuable privileges and vasty valuable sums of the public wealth are being grabbed right under their noses.

Not for ten years at least have there been such bold attempts to grab wealth and power away from the people as are being perpetrated right now in the senate and the house of representatives of this present congress.

And not for ten years at least has there been a congress with so much of a disposition to let the plunderers get away with their plunder.

This is not a guess. Look at this record: First, look at two things had as they can be, that have been actually done, one by the house and the other by the senate.

The house of representatives adopted the "Madden Amendment" to the present parcel post law limiting the weight of a parcel that could be carried by the United States postal service to fifty pounds. That took away the rightful authority which the postmaster general now has to raise the limit of weight on parcels and packages to any amount the government thought fit. Only the express companies and allied interests wanted that limit to fifty pounds put on. The people all wanted to extend the public service of carrying things at as near the bare cost of the service as possible.

There was not any possibility of making the issue there presented, because there were many speeches and long debates on the floor of the house. As Lynn Haines says in his "Searchlight of Congress," "David Lewis of Maryland, father of the parcel post, led a fruitless fight to make this branch of war with that of the leading European countries."

Now turn to the senate for another

CURRENT OPINION

Food Problem the Main Cause of Unrest in Mexico.

I have studied the land problem in Mexico for twenty years. I am not a politician; I am an agriculturist. It seems to me that the chief trouble with Mexico is the food problem, and for that reason the people fight.

If a two hundred million dollar loan could be negotiated between the United States and Mexico for the purpose of developing the agricultural resources of the land there would be no further trouble in Mexico. At the present moment the armies are unproductive, and the land is unproductive. I have been trying to find out how the army could be brought closer to the land to make both productive. I believe this can be done.

This would make the army self supporting and put an end to the factional squabbling.—By Senor Zeterino Dominguez, "Cora King" of Mexico.

completed transaction as far as the senate could complete it and what the special interests are getting, or grabbing at, at the expense of the public service and the public wealth:

The indefensible Shields water power bill which has passed the senate and is now in the hands of representatives of congress will give away forever and substantially without any compensation to the people all the water-power of all the navigable rivers of the United States. If that remaining natural resource of wealth and power were developed rightfully, (if not directly by the government, at least by a leasing system under direct government control and with adequate compensation to the people) the people would have a vast source of public income, and cities, states and the nation would have a splendid preventive of extortion by coal trusts, electric lighting and power combinations, gas interests and manufacturing "combinations."

But the senate would give that away to the privileged financial interests as against the public rights, consider the imminent danger that there is in these further iniquitous measures and enormous grabs at wealth and power which committees, or other groups, of the senate and house are threatening to put across.

The public lands committee of the senate has taken a fairly good land leasing bill that passed the house and has made it about as bad a bill as any public plunderer would want. The committee struck out all provisions as to the proper leasing of the property other development of coal lands, leaving coal land monopolies secure from the competition or free to grab some more under old imperfect laws when the public had its back turned. As to oil lands it put in a lot of jokers in the shape of references to old forgotten statutes and practically waived off all right of the public to the fully remaining oil lands of the public domain—confirming old grants to private grabbers that would, otherwise be illegal.

Just to show that it knew what it was doing this same public lands committee of the senate recommended the passage of a bill, introduced by the chairman of the committee, Senator Myers of Montana, which, if enacted will grant to a private corporation the Republic Coal Company, a subsidiary to the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company, more than 2000 acres of coal land in the state of Montana, but belonging to all the people of the United States, which is officially estimated to contain ten million tons of high grade coal, worth about thirty million dollars. The bill would give it all away for about \$32,000.

That coal grab has been beaten twice—in two congresses. But see the persistence with which the plunderers return to the attack. They think they know this congress.

The water power or public lands bill has also been changed in the senate public lands committee from the highly respectable bill that the house passed into a bill that is almost as bad as the Shields bill, the latter referring only to then water power of navigable rivers.

A fake rural credits bill has been approved by the senate committee on banks and buildings, while the house committee on banks and banking has made up its mind also to approve it, although the house committee has not yet made its report. The misconception rural credits legislation is all in the interest of bankers and investors and all against the farmers and others who need credit. It puts on

the back of labor another enormous bankers trust and an enormously expensive governmental machinery to help keep a borrower from getting money at reasonable interest. It stands in the way of really good rural credits legislation.

Along this line, the house of representatives voted down, by a vote of ten to one, a few weeks ago, the proposition of Representative Howland of New York to increase the amounts that can be deposited in postal savings banks and to increase the usefulness of these absolutely safe depositories of the wage earners money.

The banks did not want the competition of the postal savings banks. And so the house of representatives did not want it either.

These are only the most glaring instances of what the powerful privileged interests are doing with this congress.

Now let labor watch where these men of the senate and house propose to lay the taxes—the burden of paying for "preparedness," for war if it is forced, and for the ways of peace in government.

Watch now these interests that are using congress for their grabs of public wealth will use congress, if you let them, to place more taxes on labor and to dodge rightful income taxes, inheritance taxes, taxes on war profits and taxes on privately monopolized social values.

204 TOWNS ASK STATE AID ON ROADS

Whatever hope has been entertained that money enough would be left to begin work on the new state roads laid out by the governor and council has gone, as Commissioner Everett of the state highway department has received 201 applications for state aid out of a possible 225 applications. This means an expenditure of raising \$70,000 for state aid, which will leave only \$55,000 for administration expenses; interest and maintenance of the state roads in the mountains and the beach boulevard, which the state bears the entire expense of maintaining.

The number of applications for state aid this year exceeds by ten any year since the legislature authorized state aid. The money appropriated for state aid is exclusive of the construction of the trunk lines, for which there is an annual appropriation of \$150,000 with the money received from automobile licenses available for further use on the trunk lines. It is possible for the highway department to use some of the automobile income on the state aid roads and it is very probable that some of the money will have to be used this year, as the past winter has been a hard one on the roads.

The interest charge against the balance of \$55,000 from the \$125,000 appropriation this year will amount to \$27,000 which will leave very little for use in upkeep after the administration expenses are taken out. The interest is on bonds issued for trunk lines under the act of 1905.

NOTICE.

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NAVY YARD NOTES

Vessel Movements

The Milwaukee has arrived at San Diego.

The Arethusa has sailed from Port Arthur for Key West.

The Jacob Jones, Key West for Boston.

The Ohio and Wisconsin, Philadelphia for Hampton Roads.

The Sacramento, Portsmouth, N. H. for Hingham, Mass.

The Tennessee has been ordered to proceed from Hampton Roads to New York to remain about two weeks.

The Paducah has arrived on the survey grounds off Tunas de Zaza, Cuba. The mail address of the ship is Tunas de Zaza.

For the Test

Extensive telephone and telegraph apparatus has been installed at the telegraph office of the commandant and at the radio station on Scavay's Island for the purpose of the test of preparedness to be made on Saturday afternoon between the shore stations and the battleship New Hampshire.

Complimentary Ball

The crew of the U. S. S. Baltimore are arranging for a big complimentary ball at Freeman's hall on Tuesday evening, May 2. This is the first attempt of the men from this ship to entertain in Portsmouth and from all accounts they will do it in ship shape.

Under Quarantine

One hundred and eighty apprentice seamen on the receiving ship Constellation were placed in quarantine at the Newport naval training station barracks on Thursday, when one of their number developed a case of mumps.

Private Wire

A special wire from the yard to Washington, direct, has been installed in the commandant's office for service on Saturday when the communication test will be made from ships at sea and shore stations.

Reception for Constructor

Naval Constructor A. C. Hammer, Jr., who shortly leaves the yard for New Orleans will be tendered a reception and banquet by the Portsmouth Yacht club tonight.

Called as a Fireman

Fred Schultz of this city, a former navy man, has been required as a fireman in the yard power plant.

Thirteen in the Cell

The calls for workmen today included three general helpers, one helmsman's helper and three laborers.

Shipment for Hannibal

A shipment of stores for the U. S. S. Hannibal was made to the New Orleans yard today.

"THE ONLY GIRL"

"The Only Girl," which during its long season in Boston early last winter attracted and charmed multitudes, and which play theatregoers pronounced as among the very best of the many products of Victor Herbert as composer, with Henry Mossom as librettist, is again the attraction at the Lyric Theatre, where it was previously presented. The second week begins next Monday, May 8.

Revered to Victor Herbert's musical genius, sparkling like diamond flashes, "The Only Girl" lives in Boston memory as a jewel of melodious comedy, as one does not easily forget its fascinating waltz theme, "When You're Away," its rousing march song "Here's to the Land We Love," and the rhythmic "When Your Ankle Wears the Ball and Chain," along with its many other musical charms.

In story too "The Only Girl" strikes an original note both in theme and treatment, for which praise has been often extolled as being more than a musical farce. It has also the distinction of comedy, whereas Henry Mossom has well succeeded in holding up the mirror to backbiting gossip and rocking of the matrimonial boat by wives fussing with husbands over petty trifles. It has also been distinguished by the compliment of being the one product that can be designated as "musical comedy," without mangling the King's English, as it is the nearest approach to pure comedy with music that has been written in years.

One recalls its story with delight, as it furnishes an intimate glimpse of a musical play in its making. It is just as though the audience met a company of clever people in the living room of a writer's apartment, and saw and heard much that goes into the creation of a musical play.

For this return engagement the entire original company are again seen in their original roles, as Willie Bennett, Vylan Wessell, Louise Kelley, Olga Riller, Leona Stephens, John Findlay, John Park, Ernest Torrance, Ted Proby, Richard Bartlett, and all the pretty show girls, every one of them, have been retained in their original roles.

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NELSON EXPECTED TO HAND SURPRISE TO CARL HERTZ

In the opinion of a big number of the fight fans of the city the Manchester star performer, Battling Al Nelson, is going to give Carl Hertz, the clever



BATTLING AL NELSON

colored scrapper from Washington, the fight of his life. Nelson is reported to be in perfect condition and his recent

records show that he is a comer in the game. He is not a stranger to the majority of the Portsmouth fans and at his previous exhibitions here he gained the good will of most of the followers of the sport.

As his style is similar in a great measure to that of Hertz, one fine clever boxing exhibition is looked for. While in experience, Hertz may have something on the New Hampshire lad, he has nothing on him in speed or gameness. Both men know how to lift, how to cover and how to take a beating and as neither of the men are what is generally known as sluggers, the bout should be one of the most entertaining that the local club has presented.

Nelson's few years in the squared circle have taught him much about the game and he is a favorite wherever he shows. This favor has been gained on his personal merits; his clean, sportsmanlike manner of boxing, and his absolute willingness to mix things at all times. He is without a doubt, one of the most willing workers in the game for his age and weight.

Carl Hertz, too, has his followers and is expected to give one fine account of himself when he steps into the ring. He is just as game as Nelson, just as clean a scrapper, and just as willing to work. The bout looks like the best card the management of the Rockingham A. C. has booked since it has been running and it is prepared to take care of a record crowd. Nelson looks good and so does Hertz and the decision of the referee at the end of the bout will be awaited with interest. At the last moment it was decided and the old custom of giving the decision would be followed for this meeting and the services of Patsey Sweeney have been secured by the club.

KITTERY POINT

Mrs. Marion Tobey of Tenney's Hill was a visitor in Portsmouth on Thursday.

S. Ellery Jennison returned to his home in Boston on Thursday after leaving a few days in town.

Mrs. Mabel Bedell has returned to her home at Bedell's Crossing after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Norton Seaward.

Mrs. Samuel Hodgdon of Kittery visited her mother, Mrs. Susan Perry, last evening.

Rev. L. J. Merry returned to his home on Thursday after a few days visit in Portland.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church met with Mrs. Charles Haley on Thursday to cut work for the Sewing Circle next month.

Mrs. Fred Brown of Portsmouth visited Mrs. Fred Libby on Thursday.

Mr. E. Demeritt is passing a few days in Canada, N. H.

Mrs. Mary Lawrence who has been passing the winter in Portsmouth is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Emery.

The Whiting Workers were pleasantly entertained all day Thursday with Mrs. Thurston Patch.

Mrs. Albert Bernald of Portsmouth has been visiting relatives in town for a few days.

The Mitchell school is enjoying visiting day and Principal Earl Mitchell is visiting at his home in Somerset, Mass., for the week-end.

Rev. A. R. Webb of Rye, N. H., will occupy the pulpit at the First Christian church on Sunday afternoon.

Wilton P. Bray has resumed his work at the navy yard after being confined to his home for several weeks with a severe attack of the grippe.

There will be a business meeting at the close of the Sunday school session at the First Christian church on Sunday.

Mrs. Josephine Frisbee and daughter Miss Ethel left today to pass the week-end with relatives in Beverly.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Noah E. Emery last evening.

Miss Anna Moulton and Miss Anna Wentworth, teachers at the Mitchell school, are visiting schools in Dover today.

Miss Wilham Goldsmith of Portsmouth visited her sister Mrs. J. D. Carby on Thursday.

Leslie E. Farr of Boston and the managing owner of the Hotel Penneport, was a visitor in town on Thursday.

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected at the Ladies' Aid which met at Mrs. N. E. Emery's last evening:

President—Mrs. Laura Clawson.
Vice President—Miss Fannie Emery.

Secretary—Mrs. Edna Emery.
Treasurer—Mrs. Abbie Sawyer.

Mrs. Elroy S. Moulton passed Friday in Portsmouth.

CABLE LETTER

Berlin, May 3—Adolph Stark, a correspondent who has been at the front since the beginning of the war, reports a terrible Russian

raid in swamps of Lithuania. He says:

"Recently I visited one of the German advance posts in the Lithuanian swamps. The captain in command of the village told me that he and his men had seen comparatively little of the war for months. The swamps which even in winter do not freeze over completely protected the garrison against attacks.

"When we first took possession of the village, surrounded on all sides by endless swamps we were a bit nervous," the captain said. "Our forces were small and we feared that the Russians would make short work of us during the winter, but the population which received us gladly assured us that the enemy would never be able to cross the ice. The only road leading to the village we could defend easily.

The inhabitants were bitter against the Russians, because the Cossacks on their raiding expeditions everything they could lay their hands on and destroyed most of the houses. We assisted the poor people in rebuilding their huts and furnished them food."

"During the winter an old peasant offered to conduct my troops safely through the swamp for an attack on the nearest Russian position. I did not trust the old fellow although he professed bitter hate against the Cossacks who had burned his farm, killed his wife and two young sons. When I informed the headquarters of my brigade of the offer of the peasant I was told that no offensive operations on our part of the front were desirable for the time being. The old man was greatly disappointed. 'I could not understand why we did not

use the chance to strike a blow at the enemy."

"When his offer was rejected, the peasant who had evidently become insane from grief, decided to get revenge himself."

"A few weeks ago, just before the ice began to break, he rushed into my quarters and shouted: 'Come on, I will show you something that will gladden your heart.'"

"His face was covered with blood streaming from a wound on his temple and he gave the impression of being a maniac. I decided to follow the man and took a lieutenant and two privates along. It was near day-break when we left the quarters. As we wandered out on the ice we noticed that the weather had completely changed over night. The wind was almost warm and the open places in the swamp seemed much larger than they had been the evening before."

"After we had advanced a few hundred yards one of my men broke through the seemingly still strong ice and was almost drowned. The old man chuckled and advised us to walk closely behind him. Then he told us what he had done."

"I have lured a whole brigade of the Russians into the swamp and they are now perishing," he said joyously. "For many weeks I have waited for this chance. Night after night I was out studying the weather and two days ago when the wind changed to the south I knew that the hour for my revenge was near. Yesterday I went to the Russians and offered to lead them to your position. At first they mistrusted me but became convinced that I was honest, when I demanded a large amount of money for my services. Two regiments with small cannon and many machine guns were made ready for the attack upon you and at midnight this force started to move over the ice. I led the regiments where I wanted them. When the ice began to break I disappeared in the rushes. They sent a few bullets after me, but only one of them grazed me. Just listen. Do you hear the dying wretches shouting over there?"

"I heard the shouts and what I saw through the rushes in the faint light of the morning almost froze the blood in my veins. Of the seven thousand Russians who had started out to attack us about four thousand had already been swallowed up by the swamp and the remainder was struggling with death."

"When we returned to the village I locked the inmates up and later I sent him behind the front. He is now in the insane asylum in Great-Litovka. The terrible scenes I had to witness that fearful morning will haunt me to the end of my days. I had an almost mad desire to save the helpless Russians who were drowning before my eyes by thousands, but I could do nothing."

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Senator Aaron B. Cole of Governor street was a visitor in Alfred Thursday and Friday on business.

PERSONAL PICKUPS

Hon. John W. Emery has returned from a business trip to New York.

Fred P. Hill of Plaistow was the guest of friends in this city on Thursday.

This week is being observed as "Clean-up and Paint-up" Week at York.

Harry Philbrick of Rye has taken the Joseph W. Seavey house at Lang's Corner.

Miss Mary Reagan is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Wren at Hartsville, N. H.

Mrs. Harry W. Peyser and children are visiting her mother in Melrose, Mass.

Donald A. Randall, the well known painter, has recovered from a six-weeks' illness.

Mrs. Bertram E. Preston of Boston is visiting Mrs. Harry Philbrick at Lang's Corner.

John J. Meehan of Hanover street who has been quite ill at his home is much improved.

Mrs. Charles P. Berry and Mrs. Gustavo Peyser have been visiting in Boston for a few days.

Trainmaster Arthur P. Milliken of the Boston and Maine was here "on railroad business" today.

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Francis H. Delano, U. S. N., will pass the summer in Portsmouth as usual.

Dover Merchants' Week starts next Monday and a fine program for the entire week has been arranged.

Mrs. Everett M. Smith of Worcester, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rand of this city.

Mrs. William B. Beckford and daughter, Marion, are visiting Mrs. Beckford's sister, Mrs. William Corbin of Columbia street.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to thank all neighbors and friends for the beautiful flowers and for their many acts of kindness during our late bereavement.

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YACHT CLUB BUSY

It looked like movie night at the Yacht club on Thursday when the crew of river sports began sliding their craft into the river from winter storage. The club membership increased by six at the last meeting. This season will open on May 16.

OBSEQUIES

Mrs. Mary Gray Dean.
The body of Mrs. Mary Gray Dean, who died in Boston, Mass., May 2, was brought to Kittery this forenoon for interment in Orchard Grove Cemetery. H. W. Nickerson in charge.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral services of Mr. Robert H. Green will be held at Nickerson's Chapel on Daniel street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral services of Mrs. Clara R. Morrison will be held at the residence of Mr. William Rowe, on King's Highway road, South Eliot, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

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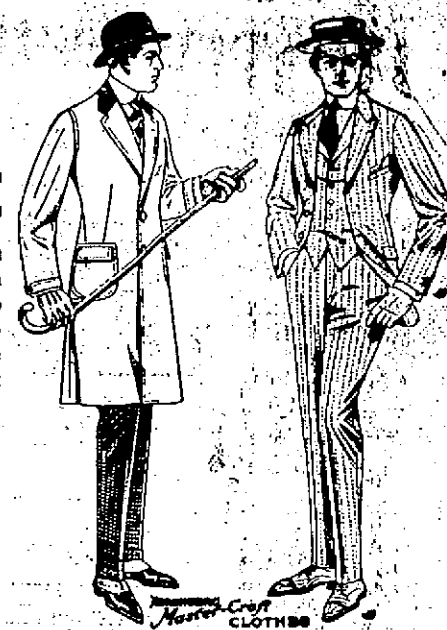
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CHARGED WITH 37 BREAKS

Nashua Youth Taken to Manchester Jail to Await Trial.

Nashua, May 5—Ralph Dodge, the 22 year old boy charged with the 37 breaks, being held under \$2,000 bonds for two, was taken to the Manchester jail on Thursday. He left handcuffed to Inspector W. B. Dean at 9:45 from the police station. City Marshal Irving F. Goodwin, driving the automobile. The cases were expected to come before the grand jury at Manchester on Thursday.

About 24 persons, mostly women, have visited the police station to identify Dodge. It is claimed that about half of them identified Dodge as the man seen in the blocks at the time of the breaks. He maintains his innocence according to his friends. His mother came to see him at the

police station when he left for Manchester. His father is dead and it is stated that he has not gotten along well with his step-father, the step-father first having him arrested in Haverhill for stubbornness. While he was serving time his friends in Nashua state, in Lawrence jail for breaks similar to the ones in Nashua, there were 11 more of the same kind of breaks made in Haverhill. It was claimed that the breaks were made by a friend of Dodge who had borrowed Dodge's clothes with the result that Dodge was paroled from jail and was under parole when arrested in Nashua.

The police state that a revolver he had stolen in Nashua was found this morning. There is still much of the loot taken in the Nashua breaks missing. It is claimed by friends that he is now sick with consumption and that all of his family on his father's side have been victims of it and that if he is given a long sentence he will be dead before the time expires.

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AUSTRIANS ACCUSE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR OF NEGLIGENCE

Former Ambassador Mayre, Whose Post is Now Filled by Ambassador Francis, is Object of Serious Attack.

Vienna, May 4.—Reports arriving here from many different sources give a terrible picture of the sufferings of the hundreds of thousands of unfortunate men, women and children who have driven into the interior of Russia from the Baltic and eastern provinces, or shipped to Siberia and Turkestan. Thousands of the civilian prisoners herded together in the awful Siberian camps are Jews, and other hostages who were carried away from Galicia and the Bukovina when these Austrian crownlands were in the possession of the Russians.

A Russian deputy recently stated in the Duma that 2,559,000 persons have been sent into the interior of the empire from Poland alone and about two millions more from the Baltic provinces, Volhynia, Podolia, Lithuania, Belarussia and Finland.

Austrian investigations show that the victims dragged to Siberia from Galicia and the Bukovina number about one million.

The Jews form nearly one half of the unfortunate who are dying by thousands in misery far from their homes. The rest is composed of Poles, Ruthenians, Germans from the Baltic provinces, Estonians, Courlanders, Lithuanians, Livonians, Finlanders, Little

and White Russians, Roumanians from the Bukovina and Bessarabia, and Mohammedans from the Caucasus.

Dr. Philip Menzel, a prominent editor of Czernowitz, who was sent to Siberia with several thousand other hostages, returned recently, and reports that during the eleven months he had to spend in a Siberian camp over 3,000 of the civilian prisoners died. The mortality became appalling in the short summer, when the temperature rose to 105 degrees in the shade.

"Steamers brought more prisoners every week, but most of them were dead when they arrived," Dr. Menzel says. "Last July a large boat reached Narymsk Krai from Tomsk, with 478 Jews—men, women and children, from Galicia. Only fifty-two of them walked ashore. The others were dead in the hold of the ship. They had perished from hunger, heat, fever and disease. Among the dead bodies I saw those of a mother and seven children. Slights almost as terrible met our eyes on the arrival of every steamer. Seldom one of them landed more than half of the passengers alive."

Women of the Red Cross who were sent to Siberia by the Austro-Hungarian government and returned re-

cently state that dysentery and typhoid fever are killing about forty per cent of the civilians in the Russian prison camps and that twenty per cent more die of hunger and ill treatment. Cruel whippings of men and women for alleged violations of the camp rules are daily occurrences.

The number of military prisoners in eastern Russia and Siberia is comparatively small. The total number of German and Austro-Hungarian soldiers captured does not exceed 250,000. How many of them are alive today is impossible to tell. Their camps are far away from all railroad communication, in the wilderness of northern Siberia or in the steppes of Central Asia.

Only a few of the camps could be reached by the Austro-Hungarian Red Cross delegation and they were found to be in a terrible condition.

In three of the camps the delegation found neither hospital nor physicians, although fifty per cent of the prisoners were wounded or sick. In one camp there was one physician for 3,200 men, and in another 4,500 men received their sole medical attendance from a hospital steward.

The former American Ambassador at Petrograd, Mr. Mayre, is charged by the Austro-Hungarian government with neglecting the duties assumed by the United States when that country agreed to take care of the interests of the dual monarchy in Russia. In official reports just published it is asserted that the ambassador ignored all complaints about the condition in the Russian prison camps and refused to make investigations, although the Central Powers agreed to furnish all money he might have needed for the relief work.

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This is taken as assurance that Germany has decided to stop her submarine warfare, even if she does not agree on how it may be resumed.

Washington, May 4.—Germany's reply in the submarine controversy probably will not be received at the state department before Saturday, but the government expects to receive information regarding its contents tomorrow.

Ambassador Gerard called today that he is forwarding a report of his conference with the Kaiser at German army headquarters. This report is expected to contain some sort of an advance summary of the German attitude.

Put on Wires Tomorrow The ambassador wired that the note itself probably will be delivered to him sometime today. Officials said it would require several hours for translation and decoding, and that it will not be put on the wires at Berlin until early tomorrow, even if it is delivered today, making it unlikely that the full text will reach here before Saturday.

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London, May 4.—Joffre continues to nibble back some of the territory lost to the Germans north of Dead Man's Hill, in the Verdun region. Following their capture of German positions northwest of the Helgh, announced yesterday, they continued their advances during the night, besides consolidating the positions already taken, according to this afternoon's official bulletin. No other notable infantry engagements are reported from the western front, but there has been ground fighting in the Avocourt wood, southwest of Dead Man's Hill, and heavy artillery bombardments elsewhere in the district west of the Meuse and in the Vaux region, northeast of the fortress.

French Gain at Dead Man's Hill Paris, May 4.—The advances of the French in the district of Dead Man's Hill on the Verdun front was continued during the night, the war office announced this afternoon. The gains made yesterday were increased and consolidated.

As a consequence of the French artillery preparations at Dead Man's Hill yesterday, the statement says, two Germans surrendered, stating they were the sole survivors of the men in their trench.

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SUBMARINE REPLY IS DUE SATURDAY

Ambassador Gerard May Send Outline of Note in Advance to Arrive in Washington This Afternoon.

Washington, May 4.—Germany's reply in the submarine controversy probably will not be received at the state department before Saturday, but the government expects to receive information regarding its contents tomorrow.

Ambassador Gerard called today that he is forwarding a report of his conference with the Kaiser at German army headquarters. This report is expected to contain some sort of an advance summary of the German attitude.

Put on Wires Tomorrow The ambassador wired that the note itself probably will be delivered to him sometime today. Officials said it would require several hours for translation and decoding, and that it will not be put on the wires at Berlin until early tomorrow, even if it is delivered today, making it unlikely that the full text will reach here before Saturday.

With his brief sentence Gerard sent nothing but excerpts from German press comment. These comments for the most part were not overly optimistic.

One of two things is expected: Direct compliance with the American demands, or, An evasion of the direct issue. By the latter is meant a temporizing note, raising issues to be negotiated

by Ambassador Bernstorff, while indicating that the submarine methods to which the United States objects actually have been stopped for the present.

The time taken in framing the reply has aroused a belief on the part of many officials that the temporizing message is the one most likely to be received. Others think, however, that the effort to frame a reply that will directly comply with United States demands, but will not arouse too much feeling in Germany, is the explanation for the delay.

President Wilson and Secretary Lansing conferred on the situation last night. If the reply falls squarely to meet the President's demands, it will not be satisfactory. It was stated that the President has not wavered in his determination that Germany must acquiesce completely.

In German official circles here it is said Germany agrees with the United States now on the question of principle, and that the only thing remaining is to determine a "method" of U-boat warfare against commerce that the two governments can agree on.

This is taken as assurance that Germany has decided to stop her submarine warfare, even if she does not agree on how it may be resumed.

London, May 4.—Joffre continues to nibble back some of the territory lost to the Germans north of Dead Man's Hill, in the Verdun region. Following their capture of German positions northwest of the Helgh, announced yesterday, they continued their advances during the night, besides consolidating the positions already taken, according to this afternoon's official bulletin. No other notable infantry engagements are reported from the western front, but there has been ground fighting in the Avocourt wood, southwest of Dead Man's Hill, and heavy artillery bombardments elsewhere in the district west of the Meuse and in the Vaux region, northeast of the fortress.

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"On the rest of the front the artillery activity was intermittent."

Dismantle German Works Paris, May 4.—The French official war report issued today says:

"In Belgium our artillery fire dismantled the works of the enemy at Grande Dune and caused the explosion of a depot of munitions. West of the River Meuse there has been a violent bombardment in all the sections, together with fighting with grenades in the wood of Avocourt."

British Pound German Lines London, May 4.—The following official communication was issued:

"Nothing of importance has happened in the past twenty-four hours. The operations on both sides have been confined to artillery actions, some of them slight and some heavy, together with a little mining activity. Today we blew up three mines east of Souchez and at the same time bombarded enemy trenches in that vicinity."

There also have been fairly heavy bombardments by both sides from St. Mihiel to the south of it on a front of about 1000 yards, and also westward of Augres."

Heavy Cannoning at Dixmude. Paris, May 4.—The Belgian official communication reads "Artillery duels continued all night in the region of Dixmude and were resumed with violence this morning. The bombardment lost its intensity this afternoon. There is nothing to report on the west front."

Germans Driven Back Petrograd, via London, May 4.—The War Office communication issued says "Enemy artillery has bombarded sections of the Jacobstadt and Dvinsk regions."

In the region east of Vidsa and Tveretich, after artillery preparation, the Germans attempted to dislodge from their trenches to attack, but were stopped by our fire."

Tuesday morning, following a bombardment, enemy detachments assumed the offensive in the region of the village of Autony, northwest of Postavy, but were repulsed. A second German attack in the same region also was unsuccessful. In the region of Harnonville and the Oginsky Canal there has been an artillery duel. South of Orla we made some progress."

In the Sponnoff region, northwest of Kremenez, the enemy exploded a mine, but we occupied the crater."

Again Drive Turks Petrograd, May 4.—The official war report issued says:

"Caucasian theatre: In the Upper Teloruk basin, in a night attack we seized an important section of the enemy's position, which we consolidated. In the direction of Diabek we again drove the enemy back in a westerly direction. In the Drumlin region we repulsed an attack by an enemy detachment."

Ayastrians Quickly Repulsed Rome, via London, May 4.—The fol-

lowing official communication was issued:

"In the Tonio zone small enemy attacks against our positions at Castelluccio Pass were quickly repulsed. In the Lagarina valley we cannonaded enemy trains and convoys."

"Between the Adige and Brenta there has been an intense artillery duel. Enemy aeroplanes which were attempting to fly over the intervening mountainous region were driven off by our aviators. The enemy made repeated unsuccessful attacks on Marmolada mountain."

"In the Isenzo region the situation is comparatively calm."

NEW HAMPSHIRE DEMANDS CASH FOR PROPERTY

Cambridge, Mass., May 4.—The state of New Hampshire, through Gov. Roland H. Spaulding, appeared as plaintiff in a bill in equity, filed in the supreme court here today, which seeks to obtain a cash settlement for property in Lowell, bequeathed to New Hampshire by the will of John Nesmith of that city. The latter gave the property, valued at \$50,000, to the state, to be used for the benefit of the indigent blind of New Hampshire. The state, according to the bill, has been unable properly to administer the property and seeks authority to accept an offer of \$50,000 in cash made by the trustees of the Nesmith estate.

BRITISH DEBT BIGGEST PER CAPITA, SAYS SWISS

Berne, May 4.—The "Schweizer Kreditanstalt," the largest banking institution of Switzerland, estimates the war debts of the different belligerent countries per head of the population as follows: Hungary \$10.33, Austria \$60.25, Germany \$10.45, Italy \$41.80, France \$141.60 and England \$151.20.

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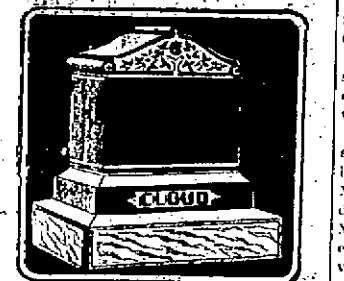
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MR. MADDOO IS ASKED FOR DATA ON INCOMES

FACTS DESIRED ON CHARGE MADE THAT HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS TAXES ARE WITHHELD.

Washington, May 4.—Secretary of the Treasury Maddoo is directed to furnish Congress with a statement showing whether or not \$320,000,000 is being annually withheld from the treasury by income tax frauds and evasions. In a resolution offered in the House Wednesday by Representative Edward Keating of Colorado.

Mr. Maddoo, by the same resolution is asked why he has not recommended to the President that all income tax returns be made public, in order that fraud may be checked. The law provides that the President may order such publicity on recommendation of the secretary.

Mr. Keating said he based his resolution on charges by Basil M. Manly, who was chief investigator for the industrial relations commission. Mr. Manly, in statements published in papers throughout the country, has declared that \$101,250,000 should be received annually from the income tax, instead of the \$50,000,000 actually collected.

By the resolution Secretary Maddoo is directed to declare whether or not the following findings of Mr. Manly are true:

That of \$15,000,000,000 paid in wages and salaries in 1914 \$500,000,000 was paid to men receiving salaries larger than \$3000.

That more than \$300,000,000 a year, above the \$3000 exemption, is received as income in the form of fees.

That \$20,000,000,000 is received as income from ownership of property and conduct of business, above the \$3000 exemption.

That incomes received by persons subject to the income tax total \$20,860,000,000.

That with all proper deductions made, the figure should be \$14,525,000,000.

That, based on this total, with the super-tax enforced on the larger incomes, the total taxes to be collected would be \$381,250,000.

In introducing the resolution, Representative Keating said: "I do this largely because of my faith in Basil M. Manly. Through his work with the industrial relations commission, Mr. Manly has demonstrated that he is an economist of the first rank and an investigator who, in his researches, would display neither fear nor favor."

Mr. Manly declares that approximately \$320,000,000 is being annually withheld from the treasury of the United States by income tax frauds and evasions. You may discount Mr. Manly's figures by 50 per cent and still have a sum which makes an other fraud which have heretofore been perpetrated on the federal government seem insignificant.

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DR. HILL SAYS PREPAREDNESS IS STEP TO A WORLD COURT

New York, May 5.—That the proposition for a court of all the nations of the earth will be forwarded by a strong stand and preparedness for war on the part of the United States, was the contention of Dr. John Wesley Hill, General Secretary of the World's Court League, in his address before the World Court Congress here today.

He said: "Civilization is turning upon the pivot of its destiny. Whether it swings forward or backward depends upon its attitude toward war. It cannot continue alternating between peace and bloodshed, between order and anarchy."

"The World Court is proposed as a breakwater against the horrors and barbarities of war. It is not offered as an absolute panacea. Perfection can only be reached by approximation. It is simply presented as the one practical plan for the reduction of the causes of war and therefore its possibility. Such a plan is needed. It is not enough to declaim against war. Sentiment is beautiful but it gets nowhere. It is easy to dream and prophesy and write prescriptions, to chase rainbows and build air castles. Such efforts are childish in the face of age buttressed evils. In the presence of that depravity of human nature which glories in blood shed and destruction."

"The World Court is not composed of the stuff of which dreams are made. It is not the creation of the imagination nor a dreamer's crusade. Endorsed by all the nations of the world at the last Hague Conference, no less than by the most representative men of today it proposes to establish judicial machinery which shall become operative at the close of the present war for the prevention of future wars. 'It is not a stop the war plan. We would stop it if we could, but since we cannot it is vain to exhaust ourselves in mere vocalization. We are removed geographically and politically from the scenes of conflict, and there is but one word for our attitude, viz: neutrality."

"Neither does the World Court movement stand for disarmament. To the contrary, we insist that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. So long as the world rests upon a military basis we as a nation cannot escape the necessity of building upon the same foundation. So long as force has the right of way we must resort to the same argument. So long as the spirit of invasion, conquest and destruction is rife among the nations, under the law of self preservation we must safeguard our liberties by adequate means of national defense. The nation which cannot defend itself is an impotent and which is afraid to defend itself is a coward."

"A flag which does not express the dignity and power of nationality is a mere gaudy banner, lacking the quality which commands respect, the power which commands obedience, and the spirit which inspires devotion. We must let it be known, however, that militarism is not our goal, that while we are obliged under the present order to match over this bloody cowardly, our faces are turned toward a higher, nobler, deviner goal, viz: the establishment of peace, justice and brotherhood among all the peoples of the world."

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SUPREME COURT'S TASKS LIGHTENED BY NEW BILL

Washington, May 4.—Congress has been asked to lighten the work of the United States Supreme Court by reducing by 15 per cent the number of cases that are permitted to be appealed to that tribunal. The Senate is expected to act soon upon the measure introduced by Senator Overman of North Carolina.

The Overman bill would no longer permit appeal to the Supreme Court of cases coming under the federal employers' liability law, the railroad employees' homes of service law, the safety appliances law, railroad rate laws and cases arising in the Philippine Islands. In such cases the bill would allow the litigants to petition the Supreme Court for review by writ of certiorari. The bill would also eliminate the appeal as a matter of right of cases in state courts in which it is claimed that some federal right had been denied.

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Washington, D. C., May 4.—The Maine congressional delegation called on the President at the White House with Richard B. Dorr of Mt. Desert, Me., to offer informally to the government as a national preserve 5000 acres of forest land on Mt. Desert Island. They want the President to accept it under the Roosevelt act, as a monument, without consulting Congress. The tract has historic, scenic and geologic interest.

Beauty Spots in Mt. Desert Forest.
The tract of land on Mt. Desert Island which President Wilson is asked to accept on behalf of the government as a national park and memorial to early settlers covers about 5000 acres and includes the greater part of the mountainous center of the island, sections that have little value beyond their natural beauty and the lumber on them. Among them are the lands around Eagle lake and Jordan's pond, which furnish water for Bar Harbor and Seal Harbor, respectively; the top of Green mountain, from which may be had the finest distant view in southern Maine; the Green, mountain carriage drive, running up the side of the mountain, Picket mountain, a small eminence overlooking the village of Bar Harbor; parts of Newport and Dry mountains, and a strip comprising the greater part of the chain of mountains in the center of the island; Fawn pond and its shores, including Beehive hive mountain, and part of the famous ocean drive; the southerly ridge of Newport mountain, and Barr's hill, overlooking the village of Seal Harbor. **DANES FIND LIVING IS COSTLY THESE DAYS.**

Washington, May 5.—An astonishing rise in the price of prime food necessities in Denmark has caused apprehension among the people of that country, reports Consul General Winslow from Copenhagen.

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WANTED—Experienced girl for sewing. Apply M. Schwartz, Phillips' Tailor, 179 Congress street, opposite library. h m 3, 31

WANTED—A girl for general office work. Apply in handwriting to Wilder Shoe Company. h m 4, 31

WANTED—Woman for general housework; must be neat and good plain cook. Apply Cook Farm, Kittery, Me. Phone 952W. h m 4, 1w

WANTED—Two or three rooms for light housekeeping. Address J. A. N. this office. ch 1w a 25

INFORMATION WANTED—Of relatives or kin of John Wesley Moses, born in Portsmouth, N. H., 1811, died 1881. Write C. E. Maynard, National Military Home, Maine. h m 2, 31

WANTED—Three nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. J. A. Z. this office. h m 1, 1w

Women wanted full-time salary selling guaranteed hosiery to wearers; 25c an hour spare time. Permanent; experience unnecessary. International Box 122, Norristown, Pa. ch 5w 16

WANTED—Second hand furniture; feather beds, antique furniture, George A. Kemp, Furniture Exchange, Penhallow street, Tel. 723M. h m 11, 11

FURNITURE MOVING—Both local and long distance, with heavy auto truck and handlers of long experience. Fricke's moderate. The Portsmouth Furniture Co., cor. Deer and Vaughan streets, near H. & M. depot. h m 16, 11

TABLE BOARD—Furnished rooms, modern improvements. 155 State street. h m 21, 11

POSITION WANTED—By young man, 25 years of age, fair appearance, machinist by trade, with ample auto experience. Work as chauffeur preferred. Address P. this office.

TO LET
TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms. Apply at this office. h m 15, 11

TO LET—Furnished house for the summer months. All modern conveniences; best location in the city. Inquire at this office. h m 11, 11

TO LET—Furnished room with steam heat and bath, directly opposite postoffice. Apply to W. Brown, Exchange Block, Pleasant st. h m 23, 11

TO LET—A flat with modern conveniences. Apply Sussman's Dye House, 129 Penhallow street. Tel. 103. h m 21, 11

TO LET—Three nice, large offices, well lighted and heated. Herald and Chronicle building. Enquire at this office. h m 5, 11

TO LET—Tenement of three rooms, \$8.00. Apply at this office. h m 13, 11

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms; rent \$10.50. Apply at this office. h m 11, 11

TWO FINE OFFICES for rent in best location in city. Apply to C. Dwight Hanson, 9 Congress st. h 42911

FOR SALE
CANOE for sale; 17 feet over-all, in good condition. Telephone 563-W after 5:00 p. m. ch 1w m 5

FOR SALE—26 Royal Blue Barred pullets, Hawking strain, and one rooster. Address D. S. Pratt, Hotel Piscataqua, Kittery, Me. h m 1, 1w

FOR SALE—10-room house, 14 bays, tropic, burgundy bushes, an acre or more of land, about three minutes walk from South Elliot postoffice or the cars. Apply to G. F. Tobey, South Elliot, Me. h 421, 2w

FOR SALE—15-acre farm, 12 tons hay, with 200 young fruit trees (small fruit). Address R. M. Brown, Bartlett Road, Kittery Point, Me. h m 12, 11

FOR SALE—Dry wood at Cook Farm, Kittery Jct., Me. Lowest prices, prompt delivery. Tel. 952W. h m 11, 11

FOR SALE—Italian Motor Boat, 21 ft. long, 11 h. p. Fairbanks engine. Address F. J. Trevelyan, Portsmouth, N. H. R. F. D. No. 2. ch 11, 11

FOR SALE
SITUATED IN EMMINGHAM, N. H., in the White Mountain region, near Ossipee Lake. Nearly new house with 9-foot piazza running "whip" length, good barn, lots of apples and small fruits. Good boating, bathing, fishing and hunting. A fine summer, or all the year round home. Low price. Terms if desired. Address E. L. Hopkins, owner, Portsmouth, N. H.

LOST
LOST—In Market Square, Monday afternoon, a gentleman's bill fold, containing a sum of money. Finder please return to J. O. B. care of this office. ch 1w m 2

FOUND
FOUND—At the Colonial Theatre on Saturday evening gentleman's bill fold. Owner may have same by applying to the box office of the theatre and proving property. ch 1w m 27

TIME TABLE

EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1916.
Portsmouth Ferry Leaves Connecting With Cars

FOR ELIOT, DOVER AND SOUTH BERWICK—6:55, 7:55 a. m., and every hour until 9:55 p. m. Then *10:55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7:55 a. m.

*Runs to Kennards Corner regularly and to Rosemary when there are passengers.

FOR KITTERY and KITTERY POINT—6:25, 6:55 a. m., and every half hour until 10:55 p. m. Sundays—First trip, 7:55 a. m.

FOR YORK VILLAGE, YORK HARBOR and YORK BEACH via P. J. & Y. Division—7:55, 8:55, 11:55 a. m., 1:55, 3:55 and 5:55 p. m. Sundays—First trip, 9:55 a. m.

FOR YORK VILLAGE, YORK HARBOR, YORK BEACH, OGUNQUIT, WELLS, KENNEBUNK, TOWN HOUSE, KENNEDUNKPORT, CAPE PORPOISE, BIDDFORD, SANFORD and SPRINGVALE via "Islanders"—6:55, 8:55, 10:55 a. m., 12:55, 2:55, 4:55, 6:55, *7:55 and *9:55 p. m. Sundays—First trip, 7:55 a. m.

*Runs to Biddeford only.
*Runs to York Beach only.
*Runs to Ogunquit only.

ATLANTIC SHORE RAILWAY.
U. S. NAVY YARD FERRY
TIME TABLE
In Effect Feb. 24, 1916.
WEEK DAYS

Leave Navy Yard for Portsmouth—7:50, 8:35, 9:15, 10:00, 10:20, 11:15, 11:40 a. m.; 12:45, 1:05, 1:35, 2:15, 2:45, 3:20, 4:10, 4:40*, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 6:55, 7:20, 7:50, 8:20, 9:00, 10:20, 10:50, 11:20 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth for Navy Yard—8:10, 8:45*, 9:30, 10:15, 11:00, 11:30 a. m.; 12:15, 12:45, 1:15, 1:45, 2:30, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:10, 6:40, 7:10, 7:40, 8:10, 8:35, 9:05, 10:35, 11:10, 11:35 p. m.

Note.—Enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps attached to this Naval Station are authorized to use the Navy Yard Ferry for all trips except those marked *.

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS.
Leave Navy Yard—8:10, 10:00, 10:15, 11:30 a. m.; 12:15, 12:45, 1:45, 2:45, 3:45, 4:45, 5:20, 5:45, 6:20 p. m.
Leave Portsmouth—8:30, 10:07, 11:00, 12:05 a. m.; 12:35, 1:10, 2:10, 3:10, 4:10, 5:10, 5:35, 6:10, 6:40 p. m.

HOLIDAYS.
Leave Navy Yard—6:55, 7:20, 7:50, 8:30, 9:50, 10:20, 10:50, 11:20 p. m.
Leave Portsmouth—7:10, 7:35, 8:10, 9:35, 10:05, 10:25, 11:10, 11:35 p. m.
Additional Trips to Wed Day Schedule for Saturdays.
From June 15 to Sept. 15.
Leave Navy Yard—7:35 instead of 7:50 a. m.; 8:00 a. m.; 12:10* p. m.
Leave Portsmouth—7:45*, 12:00 a. m.; 12:20 instead of 12:15 p. m.

CEMETERY LOTS
CARED FOR AND TURFING DONE
With increased facilities the subscribers again are prepared to take charge of and keep in order such lots in any of the cemeteries of the city as may be entrusted to their care. They will also give careful attention to the turfing and grading of them, also to the cleaning of monuments and headstones, and the removal of bodies. In addition to work at the cemeteries they will do turfing and grading in the city on short notice.
Cemetery lots for sale; also Leam and Telford.
Orders left at residence, corner of Richards avenue and South street, or by mail with Oliver A. Ham, 94 Market street, will be given prompt attention.
M. J. GRIFFIN & SON.

North Church, Sunday, 7.30 P. M.**"THE INDISPENSABLE BOOK"**

Sunday will be observed in New Hampshire as
GO-TO-SUNDAY-SCHOOL DAY

All members of Sunday Schools are expected to be present. The Sunday Schools of Portsmouth will be glad to welcome new members. Parents whose children do not attend anywhere, are urged to enroll their children on May 7, in the school of the parents' selection.

LOCAL DASHES

Clean up.
Another pay ball on the way.
Holed posters at Clark's Branch.
Put a little heat on, Mr. Weather Man.
Try a rent ad in The Herald for results.
The leading list for Portsmouth is small.
The raising of the water rates is no joke.
What do you think of the new water rates?
Yes, the Sunset League season opens on Monday.
Looks like a busy season for the Yacht Club.

Rummage sale, Saturday, May 6, at Paul's Store.
And Daniel street will not be paved—fine business.

The word "Patrol" on the city ambulance is out of place.
Try Paras Bros' ice cream for dinner Sunday. Delivered. Tel. 22.

New Castle will now begin to look up some fire fighting apparatus.
It was welcome yesterday and will be welcome again today. What? The sun.

Upholstering, hair mattresses renovated. Margaret Bros. Tel. 570.
Get the front and back yard cleaned up before Memorial day. It will pay in the end.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133.

The water at Lake Sunapee at the present time is the highest known in many years.

Take home a pound of our pure chocolates to the family this week. Paras Bros.

The Herald wants every citizen to help make Portsmouth the cleanest city in the state.

The Boston and Maine has been making Portsmouth a freight transfer station of late.

Two weeks have passed since the murder of George Stillson and there is nothing doing yet.

The market's choicest fruits and confectionery may be found at Paras Bros' store.

If you want to help boost Portsmouth just decide to boost and that will encourage others.

The Boston & Maine summer train schedule will be about the same for Portsmouth as last year.

Pick out your seat for the opening game on Monday night and don't forget to make it a date for the box.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.

Manager Dudley of the Rockingham has a force of painters and plumbers making many improvements for the summer.

Arbor Day will be observed a week from today. Let everyone do his best toward the improvement of the community.

And still many old numbers can be found on the houses of this city, which makes it conflicting for people looking up addresses.

The 11th annual meeting of the New Hampshire and Vermont Laundrymen's Association will be held at Concord on May 13.

Leo has completely left Moonbeard Lake and that big body of water is now open to fishing which is pleasing news to anglers.

LOST—Brindle Boston Terrier, female; answer to name of Rosie. A reward offered if returned to 623 Bennett street or calling 824X. H. M. 1W.

The Smallwares Corner

OF THE

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Invites attention to a Display of

Dress Shields, Hose Supporters,**Toilet Goods, Buttons,****Threads, Etc.****Buttons Covered for Suits and Dresses****LETTER FROM
THE SPANISH
AMBASSADOR**

Kindly Acknowledges the Receipt of Flags Used on Former Graves at the Navy Yard.

Previous to the transferring of the dead prisoners of war from the navy yard to Spain, the commandant of the navy yard, Captain W. L. Howard ordered the 31 Spanish flags which were used every Decoration Day on the graves of these men sent to the secretary of state at Washington, who later presented them to the Spanish embassy, who acknowledged the same in the following letter:

Washington, April 11, 1916.

Mr. Secretary:
With your Excellency's courteous note of the 11th of this month, I have the honor to receive the package sent me by your Excellency containing 31 Spanish flags used by the commandant of the U. S. S. "Southey" for the last 18 years to decorate on the National Decoration Day the graves of the Spanish sailors buried at the Portsmouth navy yard.

In acknowledging the receipt of your Excellency's note and of the aforesaid package, I wish to discharge the sacred duty of asking you kindly to tell the secretary of the head of the navy department in my name that this delicate thought, in delivering to me so eloquent a token of the sentiments which animate the navy of the United States toward Spain and the Spaniards who lost their lives in the discharge of their duty will arouse in the heart of the representative of Spain to the United States sentiments of appreciation and gratefulness that it is difficult adequately to express.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you the assurance of my highest consideration.

JUAN RIANO.

To the Honorable Robert Lansing,
Sec. of State of the U. S.

During the eighteen years in which the ladies have rested on Seavey's Island, these flags and the care of the little cemetery has been in the hands of Chief Boatswain W. L. Hill, commanding the U. S. S. "Southey", who each year arranged for the proper decoration and appropriate services on the day when this country honors its dead sailors and soldiers. This yearly ceremony over the Spanish dead has highly pleased the representatives of that government who have personally expressed their thanks of the thanks of Spain for this very thoughtful act.

THE HERALD HEARS

That Concord is experiencing a series of house burglaries and though not much has been stolen, the police are unable to get a line on the mysterious crook.

That many members of the local Knights of Columbus will go to Dover on Sunday to witness degree work and enjoy a banquet.

That York has a Sunset League.

That the grand jury of Hillsborough county returned 63 true bills at Manchester on Thursday.

That Dover Abolitionists' Week begins on May 16.

That the men at the Portsmouth Brewing Company are posting one of the crew on Boston and Maine thimble.

That his last trip from Boston to Portsmouth was one ride, so the boys say.

That his comrades are wondering why he took the paper train to Dover from the North Station and then the electric line home.

That everybody should have a flag for Flag Day.

That a Democrat for the Board of

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NIGHTS

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AND DANCING AS
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"The Bridge of Time"—Selling three-part drama of great strength and merit.
"The Village Homestead" is an Essanay three-part drama which is sure to please both young and old.
Keystone Comedy, two reels.

Friday Night, 7 to 12.00
Saturday Night, 7 to 11.00

Public Works does not appear to have a look in.

PEOPLES' OPINION

Bowling.

Editor—In this morning's Chronicle a clipping was printed under the title of "How About the Dover Team?" I wish to state that the Portsmouth rollers got beaten by over 80 pins. Total—Dover 1353; Portsmouth 1299. One of the members of the home team took the scores, in view of putting it in the Portsmouth paper, he gave it to one of the members to give to the Chronicle and on account of rolling a low score he tore it up on the car, thinking that no one would know about the low score he rolled. I don't see why he should do this as he always rolls a pretty good string. This was his first night. Everybody has off days in bowling. Here is the score as near as I can remember:

Dover—La. Blair, 269; Francis, 272; Childs, 272; Newton, 266; Eli, 266.

Portsmouth—S. Kingsbury, 249; Jordan, 256; Fogg, 268; Jones, 274; Welsh, 275.

High single and high 3-string total went to Eli of Dover; Jones was high for Portsmouth.

(Signed) "774."

AT MUGRIDGE'S.

Fancy Strain steak; legs lamb, 20c; lamb chops, 22c; best pot roast beef (no-bone), 16c; roast beef, 16c; fresh hogs liver, 8c lb; hogs' snouts and ears for boiling; fresh hogs' feet for boiling; fat salt pork (5-lb lots), 12 1/2c lb; lean and mixed salt pork, 14c lb; more of these fancy cuts, corned beef, 11c and 12c lb; native veal legs, 20c; veal forelegs, 14c; veal for broth or pot roast, 16c lb; smoked herring (wooden box), 14c; salt haddocks' napes, 7c lb.

WE KEEP ON THE MOVE

Appropriately, Portsmouth celebrated May 1, Moving Day, with a movie ball at which Holman Day and Viola Dunn moved all to divided admiration and attention.—Concord Monitor.

OUR CANDY SPECIAL.

Chocolate Chip Clusters, 33c lb.
Chipped molasses candy, dipped in chocolate. Adams' Drug Store, on Market street.

Pay day on the Boston and Maine.

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Cocoanut Cakes. . . 9c doz.
Fancy Assorted Chocolates at 19c lb.

Real Strawberries 25c
Grape Fruit 3 for 25c
Oranges 35c
Pineapples 17c
Cukes, New Beets, Grass, Lettuce, Celery, Spinach, Dandelions, Tomatoes, and Fresh Dug Parsnips.

Try Us Once and Be Convinced**CELEBRATED
SILVER WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Googins
of Kittery Entertain on
25th Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Googins of Rogers road, Kittery, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage recently. Both vocal and instrumental music was enjoyed after which the plates were laid for twenty and a most delightful dinner was served.

The decorations were lavender and lemon. Many words of praise were received from the assembled guests. After all had partaken of the sumptuous feast, a tour of inspection was made to the navy yard, and under a most courteous guide, many places of interest were visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Googins received many beautiful gifts, including silver and china. Among the out of town guests were A. E. Burdham and family and Miss Helen Kellner of Lawrence, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Frohman of Portland, Mrs. Florence Lovell and son Nathan of Bladeford, Mrs. D. A. Burdham and Miss Thompson of Old Orchard, and Albert E. Craig of Portsmouth.

At a late hour the guests departed for their several homes vowing Mr. and Mrs. Googins' royal entertainers and sincerely hoping to again have the pleasure of helping them to celebrate in 1941.

AT WALDEN'S MARKET

Vaughan Street.

Roast pork 17c lb.
Lamb Legs 20c lb.
Salt Spareribs 3 lbs. 25c

There is a feeling that the J. W. W. is working quietly here.

FOR SALE

Nine-room house in the best residential part of the city. Has steam heat, bath, gas, fireplaces, piazza, on large lot of high ground. Only 10 minutes' walk from Congress street, on the line of electric. This is a chance seldom offered to buy a home.

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